full details of construction and descriptive pamphlets hould be furnished along with the tender.

1. The shutter should be formed of the interlocking steel plates rolled from steel strips of adequate size. Necessary fixtures to be provided at ends to resist wear and tear while moving in the guides.

2. Necessary auxiliary parts such as barrels, brackets, gearing hoods and guides, operating chains, etc., have to be manufactured from the tested steel according to the latest modern practices of construction and each part must function quite smoothly and efficiently.

3. The operation of shutter, that is lowering and lifting should be as simple as possible through spur and chain gearing with ball bearings the hand chain extending within 18" from the ground level. Necessary arrangements should be provided for operation on either side of the doorway.

4. Standard types of wicket doors, preferably hinged type with latches and keys, have to be provided for.

5. All parts of the shutter should be given with two coats of anti-corrosive paint of good quality before despatch after being packed nicely.

6. Adequate quantities of bolts and nuts and such other fixing bolts and nuts should be supplied along with six copies of each of the detailed erection drawings and such other illustration and descriptive pamphlets as are necessary for easy erection and maintenance.

7. The firm should furnish guarantee and the shutter should be guaranteed from imperfection in workmanship and material without limit as to time and the Supplier shall replace free of charge any part which fails or proves faulty by reason of imperfect defects of designs, workmanship or material within one year after it is regularly put into service. They should specify the gauge of the plates used. Preference will be given to thicker type of shutter. They should guarantee that the shutter after erection will not buckle due to heavy winds.

8. If the shutter is imported, tenders must be on the basis of delivery boxed for foreign shipment f.o.b. Manufacturers' home port—the name of which must be stated together with the then ruling freight and insurance rates thence to the Indian port Marmugoa or Madras. The tenders must be accompanied by specifications, illustrations and drawings in sufficient detail to determine the features of the equipment.

Tenders for supplies from inland stocks should be on the basis of *C.I.F. Nanjangud* and the quotation should be firm for a period of two months from the due date of the tender. The rate should be quoted both in figures as well as in words. The earliest period within which delivery would be effected may be specified in the tender.

No enhancement of rate for whatever causes will be allowed when once the quotation is accepted and order is placed. Withdrawal from the quotation after it is accepted or failure to make supplies within the scheduld period will entail cancellation of the order and forfeiture of the earnest money, if any. The successful tenderer should if so required by us deposit a sum equal to 5 per cent of the value of the order in accordance with the terms and period of delivery specified in the order.

The Chief Electrical Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, but reserves to himself the right to accept or reject any tender at his discretion.

Supply on our order will be subject to the general conditions of contract prevailing in the department for local purchases.

The tenders should be superscribed as "Tender for a Steel Rolling Shutter for the New Receiving Station at Nanjangud to be opened on Monday the 1st September 1952."

K. VEDANTHIENGAR,
For *Chief Electrical Engineer.*

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, POWER AND LIGHTING, CIVIL AREA, BANGALORE.

Tender Notification.

"Sealed tenders in triplicate for the work of Providing Heating circuit to the Kitchen at H.S.I.S. Gosha Hospital, Bangalore, will be received at the Office of the Superintendent, Power and Lighting, Civil Area, Bangalore, at 3-30 P.M. on 21st August 1952."

Details of the specification can be had at the Office of the Superintendent, Power and Lighting, Civil Area, Bangalore. The earnest money required with the tender is Rs. 84 and a further sum of Rs. 84 on acceptance of the tender.

616 S. V. RAMA RAO, *Superintendent.*

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF GEOLOGY IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Sale of Gold.

Notification dated 25th July 1952.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that four bricks of refined gold weighing about:—

(1) 106 tolas; (2) 101 tolas, (3) 75 tolas; and (4) 81 tolas; will be sold by public auction at this office under the direction of the undersigned on and from Monday, the 11th August 1952 at 1-30 P.M.

TERMS OF SALE.

(1) The gold with the certificate of fineness will be available for inspection from 12-30 P.M. on the day of auction.

(2) Each intending bidder must deposit in cash as earnest money Rs. 500, with the sale conducting officer, prior to the commencement of the sale in token of his acceptance of the conditions of the sale.

(3) The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser and he shall immediately after the close of the sale pay in cash the full amount and take delivery of gold, failing which the deposit of earnest money will be forfeited and resale will be held at his risk.

(4) The gold lot will be weighed in the balance of the Chemical Laboratory of the office in tolas and the weight thus arrived at, shall be the final weight for settlement of the sale amount to be paid.

(5) Earnest money paid by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned after the close of the sale. Earnest money paid by the successful bidder will be adjusted towards the sale amount.

(6) The Director of Geology is not bound to accept the highest bid, and he reserves to himself the full right to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reasons therefor.

N. PANDURANGA RAO,
For *Director of Geology.*

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OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF FOOD SUPPLIES.
(DEPOT SECTION, BANGALORE),

Notification dated 29th July 1952.

A.D.C. 13—52-53. It is hereby notified for the information of those concerned that about 1,755 Sugar-soaked Empty Gunnies will be disposed off by public auction on Thursday the 11th August 1952 at 4 P.M. at Vokkaligara Sangha Godown opposite to Scout Head Quarters, Bangalore City by the Special Amildar attached.

(*ii*) The Sale-conducting Officer reserves to himself the right of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning reasons therefor.

(*iii*) Intending bidders should deposit a sum of Rs. 100 with the Sale-conducting Officer, before they are permitted to bid.

(*iv*) The deposit of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the close of the sale.

(*v*) The full amount of the sale should be paid by the successful bidder within three days of the confirmat on of the sale and the gunnies removed immediately, failing which the deposit amount will be forfeited and the stocks re-sold at his risk and the loss, if any, recovered from him.

(*vi*) The sale is subject to confirmation by the Director of Food Supplies.

(*vii*) The stock of gunnies may be inspected by the intending bidders, one hour before the sale.

K. S. MALLE GOWDA,
Asst. Director.

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